THE CHILDREN'S PAGE

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE UNEARTHLY CHILDREN

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"Please, someone, point me in the direction of the next convention"

Back to the Past....Again

Our meeting date and site is in transition once more.

Saturday, September 27, at 1 p.m. is the date.

Bensalem Library is the place, 3700 Hulmeville Road, Lower Bucks County
(see map on back page)

Change of date will permit many of our members to attend the Creation Convention in New Brunswick. The change of place will enable us to view some extraordinary videos, some not seen on our TV sets. One of the segments is produced by the BBC and features Bonnie Langford, the new companion.

ALSO....the results of our election will become official on that date. Ballots must be received at PO box 642 by that morning or brought to the meeting for final tabulation. See the new council take the following oath of office right before your very eyes.

The Oath of Office of the High Council of The UnEarthly Children

I recognize that the essence of Doctor Who is humor and enjoyment of life; I recognize that in the cosmic scheme of things, a television show is totally insignificant and should not be taken more seriously that it takes itself. I hereby pledge to abide by the bylaws of The UnEarthly Children and the decisions made by the High Council and to do everything in my power to make being an UnEarthly Child a lot of fun, so help me Rassilon.

Looking ahead to the rest of the year 1986, the following have been designated as the meeting dates of the UnEarthly Children. Please mark your calendars and make your plans to be among us.

October 25 - Hallowe'en Event -- November 15 -- December 13

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News & Notes

Satellite Groups

Mary Anne Cooper is planning another South Jersey get together some time in the fall...in between all the cons.

Another one of our members is also gathering together more of The UnEarthly Children in the Northern New Jersey area. They have plans for regular meetings with activities that will include Role Playing Games, Picnics, Doctor Who parties plus much more. If interested call Charles Cascone at (201)964-9673 or write to PO BX 413, Roselle, NJ 07203.

PRYDONIAN SKI TRIP - WHOSKI 87

March 6, 1987 will start a three day ski trip to Milford, PA for only $180 for quad occupancy. In addition to skiing, there is an indoor pool, horseback riding, ice skating and two WHO GUESTS

Nicolas Courtney & Ian Marter

Price includes transportation, lodging, 2 meals per day, lift tickets, and all entertainments. $35 deposit needed ASAP with info regarding your name, sex, smoking habits etc. Call for more info to-Mimi Oakley (609)275-9452 or Tom Beck (609)921-8148. Do it quickly, only 200 persons can be accomodated.

PICNIC REPORT

If you were among the absent from our July picnic, you missed a great time.

James Armstrong provided a full set of Cricket equipment and tried to help more of us to understand the game. Rick Greene proved himself a budding cricket star.

Water weapons were in abundance, in fact even the heavens opened up and showered a little water on those of us who were without water guns, cannons etc...

Wil eventually arrived thanks to finding a place to purchase a new tire.

Unofficially the PA team dominated the NJ/DE softbaall team. Skits were presented and Doctor Who Trivial Pursuit was won by Tom Beck and Cathy Boudreau.

The highlight of the day was the pie-in-the-face auction, Victims were Cecily Chambers, Wil Shrader, Rick Green, Tom Beck and Peggy Seymour. A total sum of $137 was bid to squash a whipped cream pie in face of these 'victims'. High bid was $60 bid for Peggy.

WHYY featured Doctor Who in their Applause magazine

UEC members will be participating in the August Fundraiser for CH 12 on Saturday, August 16.

ALSO Channel 12 has announced a BLAKE 7 challenge for Saturday, August 23. Consult your TV listing for exact times, set your VCR if you will be at the Katy Manning Con that day. The first two episodes of Blake 7 will be shown and if all goes well, perhaps we can look forward to a regular viewing!!!

Wanted

Volunteers for Katy Manning Cons, call Cecily Chambers at 355-3992 for details. You will get a chance to meet Katy personally some time during the weekend.

HAIL AND FAREWELLS TO

Michelle London who is departing for Alaska to work for a TV station there. Sounds very exciting to us!!!! We will miss Michelle who was always a very willing convention worker.

UEC dispatching our own correspondent to London.

Kim Hoffman will be attending University there and has agreed to keep us posted with the very latest Doctor Who news. Now that the 18 month hiatus is over, we can look forward to first hand info. WOW!!!

NJN has informed us they will continue to program Doctor Who. They have plans to continue the series in regular order. We are all hopeful that NJN will once more take the lead and be the first to show the new season.

Lost & Found Department

Some items of merchandise were left at the UEC table at the last Creation Con. Owner may claim same by identifying items. Contact UEC PO Box.

Congratulations to Cynthia Moreno on her appointment to the High Council of the Prydonians of Prynceton. Cynthia will fill this Council vacancy until the club runs their elections in March and they will present a whole slate of High Council seats.

Congrats also to the new Cabinet of the Jersey Jagaroth, Mark Modig, Eileen Freeman, and Michael Fagan. They are off and running with many new happenings planned for the Jagaroth.

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On your mark...ready...get set...GO-GO-GO-GO-GO to the nearest convention. Exciting times are upon us Who Fans with just enough time to almost catch our breath before we can trot off to another convention; our favorite pastime.

Friday, August 22, 5 p.m. til midnight - War Memorial Auditorium in Trenton New Jersey. Doors open at 4 p.m.
Saturday, August 23, 9 a.m. til 4 p.m. - The Hilton Hotel in Philadelphia at Civic Center Blvd. & 34th Sts.. (right across from the Phila. Civic Center)

Doctor WHo Fan Club of America Festival is bringing us KATY MANNING, who endeared herself to scores of fans as Jo Grant, companion to Jon Pertwee's Doctor WHo.

TIckets are $7 for adults, $4 for kids under 12 if purchased in advance. DWFCA sent postcards with notification of the Festival, unfortunately we did not receive the news in time for our last newsletter(our was postmarked July 21). Tickets will be $1 more at the door, however you could try to call them at (303)322-5072 and inquire. Just another reason to become a member.

JUST RECEIVED THIS NEWS TODAY...

Saturday, September 13, time not known, but during the day...Philadelphia Civic Center 34th & Civic Center Blvd. BAKER & BAKER..TOM & COLIN, that is together!! Excalibur has put together a tour for these two and there is a New York Con planned, but confirmed date not available at press time. Tickets WILL be available thru TICKETRON....Price probably $16 for adult, $10 for kids under 12

Saturday & Sunday, September 20, 21, at the Hyatt Hotel in New Brunswick. Creation Conventions expanding into a new location for them. Among the guests are MATTHEW WATERHOUSE(ADRIC) AND MARK LENARD(SPOCK'S FATHER). Tickets also available thru Ticketron.

REMEMBER OUR MEETING IS ON SEPTEMBER 27.....

Moving on to October...

Saturday, October 18, Doors open at 11 a.m. -- War Memorial Auditorium in Trenton, New Jersey A DAY WITH JON PERTWEE, presented by Master Productions in association with Ettinger Brothers. In addition to videos, autographs, and talk sessions you will see Jon Pertwee's renowned Cabaret Act at NO EXTRA CHARGE. Tickets will be $10 in advance, $12 at the door. Mail in tickets must be postmarked before October 1st; make check or money order payable to Master Productions and mail to Master Productions, Box AH, Stony Brook, New York, 11790. You must send a stamped self addressed envelope and also ask for the details of the rest of Jon's East Coast Tour.

October 24, 26 and 26, IFINICON with Guest Star Jon Pertwee and many others from the realm of science fiction in New York City. Also presented by Master Productions. Send a SASE for more details to above address.

THANKSGIVING WITH JON PERTWEE IN DISNEY WORLD - Limited to 52 persons and includes Thanksgiving Dinner at the Contemporary Hotel and a tour through the theme park with Jon. Also through the above address for Master Productions.

And Now For Something Completely Serious

These two pages contain the bio-datas of those who chose to run for your High Council. Each one has given it serious thought and expects to work hard and give much of their time and effort... for you! Think hard about it and then send in your vote of support and continue to assist them in the coming year to make The UnEarthly Children one of the best clubs to support Doctor Who.

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RESUME OF MARY ANNE COOPER - CANDIDATE FOR HIGH COUNCIL

Hi! My name is Mary Anne Cooper, and I would very much like to be elected to the High Council. Some background information: I am married, and the mother of a beautiful 1-year-old, Meghann (who is also a member of the Unearthly Children). I am employed in Customer Service for a computer company in Cherry Hill, NJ. I have been as assistant Girl Scout leader, as well as serving as Secretary of the Fellowship First Aid Squad in Mt. Laurel for 6 years. I am also an active member of the Ladies Auxillary of the Fellowship Fire Company, also of Mt. Laurel. I feel that as a member of the High Council, I would be very valuable in giving the members from New Jersey a voice on the Council. I have been trying to organize satellite meetings in New Jersey, and I would like to see some other Club activities being held in New Jersey. As a member of the High Council, I will work on these ideas, as well as all others I feel will be beneficial to the Club and its membership.

MATRIX READ-OUT
BIO-DATA EXTRACT
SUBJECT: RICK GREENE

Greetings, one and all! My name is Rick Greene, and I am hereby submitting myself as a candidate for election to our High Council. I am a 20-year-old sophmore at Villanova University, studying for a degree in Computer Science. I have been a fan of "Doctor Who" for many years, and I am an active volunteer for the UnEarthly Children at local conventions.

I have several attributes that make me a good candidate. I spent three years in the Junior Achievement program. During my first year (in 9th grade), I was appointed to Vice President of Production. Our company placed in the top five in production techniques that year. I was also selected as one of the six people from our area to be a delegate to the National Junior Achievement Conferencr that same year.

I also spent three years as a manager for my high school's wrestling team. I was in charge of the individual and team statistics. I was the senior (head) manager, with others working under me. I gained quite a bit of leadership training there.

Another point in my favor is my experience in the business world. I spent my first year after my high school graduation (1984) working for Radio Shack. I held many positions, the highest of which was assistant manager of a retail store. I was the sales person in charge of the store for three weeks, while the manager was on vacation, then ill.

A final factor is my possesion of a home computer and software to handle any one of a number of the club's functions, from membership listings to financial information.

My goal as a High Council member is to serve the best interests of the club, to uphold our image as one of the best clubs in the area.

Timelessly,
Rick Greene

MAUREEN B. MULHOLLAND

I was born in Norristown, PA, lived in Oreland, PA, various places in New Jersey and currently reside in Lawrenceville, I work as a contract computer programer/analyst.

I have been a fan of the Doctor since 1984. I have been a member of the Prydonians of Prynceton and The Doctor Who Fan Club of America since January 1985 and a member of The UnEarthly Children since August 1985. I have participated in various organizations during high school. college and my professional life and know that a lot of hard work is involved. Most notable is that I am now treasurer of Data Processing Management Assoçiation of Delaware Valley.

If elected to the High Council I intend to:

1. Receive all constructive criticsm and act on it as best I can.
2. Give enthusiastic and energentic support to the High Council and to the club. Including giving constructive criticsm when appropriate and in a tactful manner to the best of my abilities.
3. Make recommendations concerning the club such as ways to keep dues down and also keep the club financialy solvent.
4. Make decisions necessary for the smooth operation of the club.

Finally, I hope I can count on your support, not just by voting for me, but by contributing to the newsletter, ideas to generate revenue, helping at PBS fundraisers, or in short, anything you can contribute to make this a better club.

Borrowing the American Express slogan, I want to ask, "Do you know me?" I have been treasurer of the UEC since December and have met many of you at our monthly meetings and conventions. However, a large per cent of our members do not attend meetings and conventions are busy times. For them, the monthly newsletter is the reason they continue to renew their membership. When called upon to put our July issue together, I gave a lot of thought to what its' purpose should be.

The past year has brought many changes to Doctor Who fandom. New clubs have formed and others, including UEC, have experienced rapid growth. The challenge to keep our membership informed and interested is greater now than the time we were all grateful for any Who news available. If elected to the High Council, I would welcome the opportunity to serve as editor, or assist the person selected, to publish one of the best and informative newsletters in Doctor Who fandom.

A tally of my qualifications to serve on the High Council include:

+ Four years as President of a large Women's Organization and six years as editor of their newsletter with a circulation of 800 persons.
+ Employed four years as Director of Parish Fellowship for a Lutheran Church with membership of over 3000 persons. During this time I worked with hundreds of volunteers. Edited a newsletter for a singles group that grew from a committe of six persons to a mailing list of over 1000 within two years.
+ Was one half of a business partnership that organized and produced a convention and show for single persons in 1977. This entailed renting the Philadelphia Civic Center and hiring and working with a public relations firm to promote the convention.
+ Employed six years as Program Director for a Social Service Agency. This position required supervision of a staff of ten persons and responsibility for generating all public relations needed to further the success of the program.

However, my main reason for running for the High Council is that I love Doctor Who and have enjoyed my one and a half years of active participation in fandom. There is so much more to do and I would like to be part of it all and make things happen. Oh yes, my name is Dorrie Sillman.....

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We recommend the following Doctor Who Fan Clubs as bona fide and worthy of your consideration. Unfortunately, the apparent demise of "The Friends of the Doctor" in the Philadelphia area might have disenchanted some of its members with fan club membership. The clubs of the North East Matrix have been endeavoring to solve the mystery of their disappearance. We invite any previous members of FOD to contact any NEM Club with information of unfulfilled memberships. UEC members and their friends can send them to our PO Box or contact any High Councillor.

There are many other well organized and entertaining clubs in the area and we will be listing more of them in the future.

The Prydonians of Princeton
Gallifrey East
359 Nassau Street
Princeton, NJ 08540

The Jersey Jagaroth
14 Mills Street #2
Morristown, NJ 07960

Tardis Tours
PO Box 1064
Bethlehem. PA 18016

U.N.Y.T.
c/o Marsha Quinn
308 West 30 Street
New York, NY 10001

Gallifreyan Embassy
of Long Island
232 Hoke Ave.
Oceanside, NY 11572

Two Hearts LTD.
PO Box 3092
Camp Hill, PA 17011

Travellers of the Time Vortex
14 Boston Post Road
East Brunswick, NJ 08816

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PEN-PAL-PLAN

Two Hearts LTD is organizing a Pen-Pal Club for all area Fan Clubs. Why not participate and add lots more Who Fans to your circle of friends?

IF YOU ALWAYS WANTED A FRIEND TO WRITE TO, TO DISCOVER YOUR INTERESTS OTHER THAN AND INCLUDING DR. WHO, HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO HAVE A PEN-PAL FROM ANOTHER FAN CLUB BUT PART OF THE NORTH-EASTERN MATRIX.

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IF YOU WISH MORE THAN ONE PEN-PAL SEND MORE THEN ONE LETTER AND SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPE IN THE SAME LETTER.

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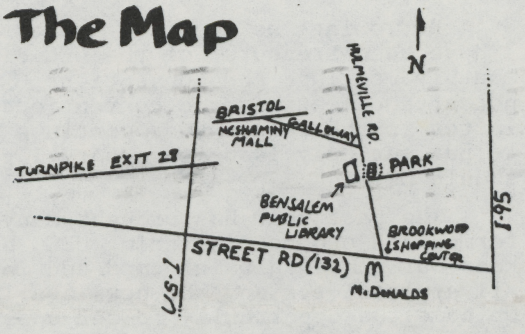
Dorrie Sillman, treasurer	215-357-7245

The Map



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